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Attorney Docket No.: 00CL-26 (2000P031945)

Applicant: Tetsuyuki MORIMOTO

Serial No.: 09/611,571

Filing Date: July 7, 2000

Title: POS SYSTEM

Examiner: Gregory Morse

Group Art Unit: 2167

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D. C. 20231

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AMENDMENT AND FEE TRANSMITTAL

Attached hereto is a responsive amendment. Also enclosed is our check in the amount of \$ 18.00 to cover the extension of time and any extra claim fees, as set forth below.

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Applicants believe that no extension of time is necessary. If an extension of time is necessary, the applicants respectfully request such an extension and authorize the office to charge any fees related to such extension, to the deposit account of STRAUB & POKOTYLO, deposit

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Additional Claims:

An additional claim fee has been determined as set forth below:

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20	21	1	\$ 18.00	\$ 18.00
Independent Claims Paid For (Min. 3)	Independent Claims as Amended	Extra Claims	Cost Per Extra Claim	Fee
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TOTAL FEE			_	\$ 18.00

A check in the amount of \$ 18.00 to cover the additional claim fee is enclosed. In the event this check is unacceptable, insufficient or is omitted, kindly charge the additional or entire cost, as appropriate, to the deposit account of STRAUB & POKOTYLO, deposit account number 50-1049. Please credit any overpayment to the deposit account of STRAUB & POKOTYLO, deposit account number 50-1049. To facilitate that charge or credit, a duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

June 5, 2001

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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 5, 2001 (Paper No. 4), which set a period for response to expire on June 5, 2001, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Replace the paragraph starting at page 1, line 28 with:

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In addition, the data to be sent out from all the terminal units are enormous in quantity. Accordingly, sales data and other data are not frequently sent out as